## LEGAL NOTICE

## STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Hearing Room, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, LaSalle Building, 617 North 3<sup>rd</sup> Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m. on **TUESDAY, APRIL 7, 2009,** upon the application of **SAMSON CONTOUR ENERGY E&P, LLC.** 

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of Orders pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Hosston Formation**, **Reservoir A**, **the Cotton Valley Formation**, **Reservoir A**, and **the Haynesville Zone**, **Reservoir A**, in the Caddo Pine Island Field, Caddo Parish, Louisiana.

- 1. To create ten (10) additional drilling and production units for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Hosston Formation, Reservoir A.
- 2. To create ten (10) additional drilling and production units for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A.
- 3. To create ten (10) additional drilling and production units for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Haynesville Zone, Reservoir A.
- 4. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within each of the proposed additional units in accordance with Section 10, Title 30 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation.
- 5. To designate a unit operator of, and unit wells for, the proposed additional units as may be appropriate.
- 6. To redefine the Hosston Formation, Reservoir A, insofar and only insofar as to the additional units proposed herein, as being that stratigraphic equivalent of that interval encountered between the depths of 4,910' and 6,792' (electrical log measurements) in the Texaco Inc.-D L Gish et al No. 1 Well, located in Section 23, Township 20 North, Range 15 West.
- 7. To redefine the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A insofar and only insofar as to the additional units proposed herein, as being the stratigraphic equivalent of that interval encountered between the depths of 6,792' and 8,390' (electrical log measurements) in the Texaco, Inc.-D.L. Gish et al No. 1 Well, located in Section 23, Township 20 North, Range 15 West.
- 8. To provide that with respect to any horizontal well drilled within the proposed units for the Haynesville Zone, Reservoir A, where the horizontal portion of the well is cased and cemented back above the top of the Haynesville Zone, the distance to any unit boundary and offset well will be calculated based on the distance to the nearest perforation in the well and not based on the penetration point or terminus of the well bore in the Haynesville Zone.
- 9. To permit Applicant to combine downhole production from the Hosston Formation, Reservoir A, the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, and the Haynesville Zone, Reservoir A or any combination thereof, in any well drilled on the proposed additional units in which the interests in the units from which production is to be combined downhole are identical.
- 10.To extend, except as in conflict herewith, the provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 122-P, effective August 9, 1978, as amended and supplemented by the Order No. 122-P Series of Orders, to the proposed additional units for the Hosston Formation, Reservoir A.
- 11.To extend, except as in conflict herewith, the provisions of Order No. 122-M, effective January 1, 1977, as amended and supplemented by the Order No. 122-M Series of Orders, to the proposed additional units for the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A.
- 12.To extend, except as in conflict herewith, the provisions of Order No. 122-Y, effective August 26, 2008, as amended and supplemented by the Order No. 122-Y Series of Orders, to the proposed additional units for the Haynesville Zone, Reservoir A.
- 13. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.
- The Hosston Formation, Reservoir A was initially defined in Order No. 122-P, effective August 9, 1978.
- The Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A was initially defined in Order No. 122-M, effective January 1, 1977.
- The Haynesville Zone, Reservoir A was defined in Order No. 122-Y, effective August 26, 2008.
- Plats are available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge** and **Shreveport**, Louisiana.

www.dnr.state.la.us/CONS/CONSEREN/hearings/pubhearings.htm.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

## JAMES H. WELSH COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION

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IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE ADVISE THE OFFICE OF CONSERVATION-ENGINEERING DIVISION AT P.O. BOX 94275, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9275 IN WRITING WITHIN TEN (10) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.